

## Goodnight at the New Site

At the bells it is time for the sunspots,  
think of them as if they were  
an industrial accident. Goggles,  
slivers of Masonite shavings!  
Postcards of condolences!  
That's why the leader has no navel,  
only a cancelled stamp.  
Don't slouch,  
etc. I'm here to help, yelp  
if you need me. You too, Abrams.  
It takes eleven elephants  
to grow the ivory for one piano,  
right? Tomorrow we begin,  
sleep tight.

### Dave Kelly's Dog

eats garbage  
always has a bright pink hard-on  
slinks a lot

and its close  
affection  
is a noseful

of bad news  
Except that Dave  
being unclassical

won't kill the messenger  
But Dave the damn  
thing stinks

say some  
Both dog & Dave  
raise hair

Bad News  
Bad News  
they bark

-- William Matthews

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